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In re Application of:

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For: MULTI-MEDIA INFORMATION
RECORD DEVICE, AND A MULTI-
MEDIA INFORMATION PLAYBACK
DEVICE

Examiner: Joseph Feild

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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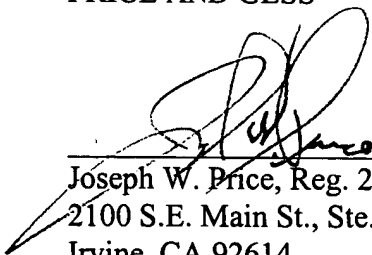
Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a redrafted copy of the claims to correct typographical errors in the presentation of Claim 1 and its content in Paragraph a). With the revision of Claim 1, it is believed that the case is now properly presented for examination.

If the Examiner believes that a telephone interview will help further the prosecution of this case, he is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned attorney at the listed telephone number.

Very truly yours,

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